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## CHRISTMAS

is almost here now and no doubt you are wondering what to get as a remembrance for your friends and members of your family. It is so hard to find something new that is useful as well as ornamental.

We herewith suggest a few articles below that are thoroughly practicable, useful, and what anyone would be glad to receive:

### Electric Fixtures Reading Lamps

COFFEE PERCOLATORS (makes the most delicious coffee with minimum expense).

IMMERSION COILS (for heating liquids. Fine for shaving. Heating baby's milk, etc.)

ELECTRIC STOVES (for heating anything and for light cooking).

ELECTRIC RADIATORS, BREAD TOASTERS, ELECTRIC CURLING IRONS, ELECTRIC IRONS, A CARTON CONTAINING LAMPS, ETC.

All of these things are exceedingly useful and nothing could be nicer as a Christmas Present.

CALL IN AND LET  
US SHOW YOU

Roxboro Light  
& Power Co.

## HERE

SHINGLES—(All Grades)  
BRICK—(Hard and Salmon)  
CEILING—(Cheapest to Best)  
FLOORING—(All Grades)

Siding—Boxing—Windows—Doors  
Mantels—Lime.

KILN DRIED LUMBER OUR  
SPECIALTY.

Roxboro Lumber Co.

"Home of Quality Lumber."  
PRESTON SATTERFIELD, Sect'y. & Manager.

Toy Pistols  
And Caps For  
The Boys

—AT—

Long, Bradsher & Co.

Make Your  
Christmas  
Presents Worthwhile

Percolators,  
Carvers  
Silver Knives  
and Forks.

—Come to see us—

Long, Bradsher & Co.

## MEETING OF DIRECTORS

### OF PERSON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

Held In The Director's Room in  
The Peoples Bank Last Satur-  
day—Splendid Financial Re-  
port Submitted by The  
Secretary.

The Directors of the Person  
County Fair Association held  
their annual meeting last Satur-  
day morning in the Director's  
room of the Peoples Bank.

The following report was sub-  
mitted by the Secretary, J. S.  
Walker:

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE PERSON COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION.

December 16th, 1916.

#### RESOURCES:

Individual Accts.	\$ 35.00
Deposits	1231.10
Personal Property	68.95
Real Estate	6256.74
	\$7591.79

#### LIABILITIES:

Individual Accts.	\$ 542.74
Bills Payable	2000.00
Capital Stock	2650.00
Accumulated undivided profits	2399.05
	\$7591.79

The report shows the Fair As-  
sociation to be in fine financial  
condition and in a few years at  
present rate the Association will  
be entirely out of debt, with one  
of the best and most up-to-date  
Fair Grounds in the State.

The stockholders meeting will  
be held in early part of January  
and officers will be elected for the  
coming year.

## SUNDAY HOURS

The Morris Telephone Co. will  
observe Sunday Hours on Christ-  
mas day. You will bear this in  
mind or you may feel impelled  
to say words which are not  
taught in Sunday School classes.

### "TO THE INSURING PUBLIC."

On this occasion for the past  
sixteen years it has been my priv-  
ilege and my pleasure to extend  
thanks to the people of Person  
and adjoining Counties for their  
liberal patronage in the Insurance  
line and an increase of business  
over the preceding year.

This year is no exception and I  
take this method of extending to  
each of you my thanks who have  
contributed by word or act to mak-  
ing this one of the best years in  
the history of our Agency.

I thank you heartily and only  
wish I could personally express  
to you individually my sincere ap-  
preciation.

I say these sixteen years of in-  
crease is very gratifying. It is  
gratifying to learn that the public  
is discriminating by placing its  
insurance and appreciates and  
rewards an Agency run on  
the correct basis with due care  
and vigilance for its patrons pro-  
tection.

I am proud of the sixteen years  
settlements without a single dis-  
puted claim. I thank you for your  
manifested appreciation.

I have made a high and deter-  
mined endeavor to serve you well  
and safely. Your continuous and  
increased patronage is assurance  
positive of your appreciation. I  
again thank you and wish for each  
of you the happiest of all  
Yule tides and great joys and suc-  
cess during 1917.

Very truly yours,

Satterfield Insurance Agency,  
S. P. Satterfield.

## SPECIAL EDITION

We Are Planning for Some-  
thing Big for Person County  
and Roxboro.

In view of the fact that our  
office will have better equipment  
after the first of the year, and  
that Person County will have var-  
ious progressive developments  
to tell about, we are going to  
venture upon our first special  
edition comprising the financial,  
commercial and agricultural in-  
terest of Person County. It has  
been our desire for some time to  
give to the readers of our paper  
a creditable illustrated paper  
containing story matter pertain-  
ing to the many natural advan-  
tages and resources which we  
have, however, we realized that  
it would require many pages to  
do so with all possible dispatch  
and success, and our medium for  
setting type previous to this has  
been by hand, therefore, the  
problem was a little more than  
we could solve.

The special issue that we will  
print will contain several stories  
unraveling the many historical  
and commercial statistics of Per-  
son County and Roxboro, all of  
which will be published under  
their respective caption. And  
while the county stories will take  
precedence, we will not forget  
by any means that Roxboro is  
the accessible trading and dis-  
tributing point for every farmer  
living within our trading terri-  
tory, and every inch of the story  
matter in this special edition will  
tend that way. Five thousand  
copies of our special edition  
will be printed and mailed out  
by us to people residing in this  
and adjoining counties, however  
many copies will go out broad-  
cast over several states, and five  
hundred copies will be given to  
the Norfolk and Western Rail-  
way for distribution in the North  
and Middlewestern States, from  
where comes many farmers to  
this and other Southern sections  
to locate.

### AN ADVERTISING MEDIUM

Due to the fact that extra cop-  
ies will be printed and mailed  
out by us, the medium is a most  
attractive one for the local busi-  
ness houses and they will be cal-  
led on and the plan explained in  
every detail. We will put into  
every home in this territory one  
of The Courier's Special Editions.  
Display advertising space will be  
sold at a fixed price per inch,  
however, to make the paper fully  
worth while, each advertiser  
will be given free of charge a  
good sketch compiled from the  
good thought and substantial  
facts taken from the growth of  
the respective business.

### A SPECIALIST

To give each article, whether  
concerning community or indus-  
trial development, the proper  
preponderance over other articles  
that have been published in the  
Courier from time to time heret-  
ofore, we have employed the  
services of a specialist, one who  
has had several years experience  
in the business, and will no doubt  
in his perusal of this community  
find material for a story to ex-  
ceed far beyond that discovered  
in many other sections. The  
gentleman in question will call  
on each business man in town to  
explain the plan in full and  
any kindness extended him will  
help to further the betterment  
of the community, and it will be  
appreciated by us sincerely.

The famous U. M. C. and New  
Club Shells are the best at Long,  
Bradsher & Co.

## NOTICE!

I take this method to announce to the public  
I have taken charge of the blacksmith de-  
partment of W. J. Pettigrew's Shop, and will  
shoe your horse as cheap as ANYONE.

Bring me your work and same will be  
appreciated.

EDGAR MOORE  
W. J. PETTIGREW'S SHOP

## Christmas Suggestions

Just a few more days and the Happy  
Christmas time will be here. From now  
until then many of you will be puzzling  
your brain trying to decide on something  
suitable to give some one in whom you are  
more or less deeply interested. Come to  
the store that has the goods that are  
worth buying, worth giving and  
worth receiving and we can suggest and  
show you many nice things to help you out  
of your difficulty. We have never had a  
better selection and you will have no trou-  
ble in finding something that will please  
either a lady, man, girl, boy or baby. Our  
sales force will take pleasure in showing  
them to you.

## A Big Stock In All Lines

Besides the Christmas goods  
you will find our Stock of

## Everything To Wear And Furnish The Home

very full and complete. And  
while everything has advanced  
and seems high our prices are ex-  
tremely low considering the con-  
dition of the market. In almost  
every instance we are selling sta-  
ple goods as cheap as they can be  
bought at wholesale today.

## COAT SUITS at Greatly Reduced Prices

We still have quite a nice lot  
of Coat Suits. These we have  
gone over and marked down to  
figures that will surprise you.  
You never saw cheaper suits and  
all of them should move quickly.  
The same will apply to Children's  
coats.

Harris & Burns  
"Roxboro's Best Store"